

2020 Census Partnership

WHEREAS, every ten years the U.S. Census Bureau counts residents across the county; and

WHEREAS, the next census day is April 1, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the 2020 Census count will determine congressional representation and inform the distribution of over \$600 billion in federal funding annually to states and cities; and

WHEREAS, information from the 2020 Census and American Community Survey are vital tools for providing data that is critical to planning for future growth, development, and the social needs of our community; and

WHEREAS, a united voice from business, government, community-based and faith-based organizations, educators, media and others will enable the 2020 Census message to reach more of our citizens;

WHEREAS, Clark County, in partnership with the City of Vancouver, has established a Complete Count Committee, comprised of members of these community organizations, who are working together to raise awareness of the importance of the 2020 Census in our region.

Now, therefore, BE IT RESOLVED that Clark County is committed to partnering with the Complete Count Committee and:

- 1. Support the goals and ideals for the 2020 Census and will disseminate 2020 Census information.
- 2. Encourage all County residents to participate in events and initiatives that will raise the overall awareness of the 2020 Census and increase participation.
- 3. Support census takers as they help our County complete an accurate count.
- 4. Strive to achieve a complete and accurate count of all persons within our borders

Signed this 10th day of March, 2020

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